AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

1. Please amend paragraph [0055] as follows:

[0055] At t_3 , a sustain scan pulse voltage (approximately -70 V) is applied to the scan electrode common line YY₁, and a data pulse voltage (approximately 50 V) is applied to the data electrode D₂, as illustrated in Fig. 3A. Then the wall charges of the cell Y₃-X₃-D₂ are all erased, as illustrated in Fig. 3B. With the wall charges erased, a discharge cannot be caused by an applied sustain discharge voltage. The wall charges in the other cells are sustained.

2. Please amend paragraph [0056] as follows:

[0056] At t_4 , the ground a sustain discharge voltage is applied to the scan electrode common lines YY_1 and YY_2 , and a sustain discharge the ground voltage is applied to the sustain electrode common lines XX_1 and XX_2 . In the cells Y_1 - X_1 - D_2 and Y_2 - X_2 - D_2 , wall charges are generated: negative (-) wall charges in the scan electrodes Y_1 and Y_2 and positive (+) wall charges in the sustain electrodes X_1 and X_2 to cause a discharge, as illustrated in Fig. 3B. But a discharge does not occur in the cell Y_4 - X_4 - D_2 at t_4 , because there remain negative (-) wall charges in the scan electrode Y_4 and positive (+) wall charges in the sustain electrode Y_4 and positive (+) wall charges in the sustain electrode Y_4 .